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Application No. : 10/524,060
Applicant : Zhiming SUO, M.D., Ph.D. and Barry W. FESTOFF, M.D.
Filed : February 8, 2005
Title : METHOD OF DETECTING AND PREVENTING
ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE, PARTICULARLY AT
PRODROMAL AND EARLY STAGES
Group Art Unit :
Examiner :
Atty. Docket No. : US 1421/05(VA)
Date : January 20, 2006

**SECOND
REQUEST FOR CORRECTED
FILING RECEIPT AND CORRECTED NOTICE OF
ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 AND 37 CFR 1.495**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that corrected **a)** Filing Receipt, and **b)** Notice of
Acceptance of Application Under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.495, be issued.

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Second Req. for Corrected Filing Receipt and Corrected Notice
of Acceptance of Application Under 25 U.S.C. and 37 CFR 1.495 dated January 20, 2006

The recently received Filing Receipt indicates that the provisional application data, i.e., S.N. 60/402,701, filed 8/13/2002, is not consistent with the PTO records. Attached hereto is a copy of the PTO Filing Receipt confirming that the provisional application data is, in fact, correct. Therefore, Applicants request that a corrected official Filing Receipt without the statement "(*) Data provided by applicant is not consistent with PTO records." be issued. In addition, the filing fee paid by the applicant should be indicated as \$2,450.00 (not \$2,350.00).

It is further requested that a corrected Notice of Acceptance of Application Under 35 USC 371 and 37 CFR 1.495, as attached, be issued. A request to this effect was filed previously in the PTO on June 23, 2005.


Appropriate corrections are shown in red/highlighted in yellow in the attached copies of the Filing Receipt and the Notice of Acceptance of Application Under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.495.

It is believed that no fee is due for this submission. Should that determination be incorrect, however, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 01-0433, and notify the undersigned in due course.

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Should the Examiner have any questions or wish to discuss further this matter,
please contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,



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PCT/US03/32357-23257

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PRIORITY DATE

08/12/2003

08/13/2002

CONFIRMATION NO. 4405

371 ACCEPTANCE LETTER



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Date Mailed: 06/15/2005

NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C 371 AND 37 CFR 1.495

The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is ACCEPTED for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

02/08/2005

DATE OF RECEIPT OF 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and
(c)(4) REQUIREMENTS

02/08/2005

DATE OF COMPLETION OF ALL 35 U.S.C. 371
REQUIREMENTS

A Filing Receipt (PTO-103X) will be issued for the present application in due course. **THE DATE APPEARING ON THE FILING RECEIPT AS THE " FILING DATE" IS THE DATE ON WHICH THE LAST OF THE 35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE. THIS DATE IS SHOWN ABOVE.** The filing date of the above identified application is the international filing date of the international application (Article 11(3) and 35 U.S.C. 363). Once the Filing Receipt has been received, send all correspondence to the Group Art Unit designated thereon.

The following items have been received:

- Copy of the International Application filed on 02/08/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 02/08/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 02/08/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 02/08/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 02/08/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 02/08/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 02/08/2005
- Assignment filed on 02/08/2005
- Power of Attorney filed on 02/08/2005

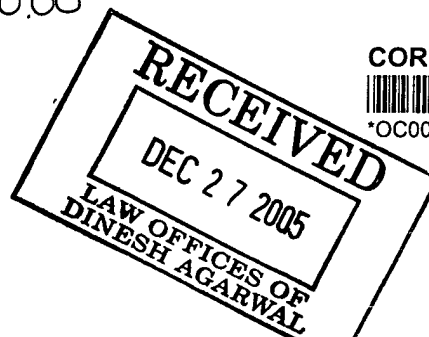


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CONFIRMATION NO. 4405

CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT



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Date Mailed: 12/21/2005

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Power of Attorney: The patent practitioners associated with Customer Number 43002.

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

This application is a 371 of PCT/US03/23257 08/12/2003
 which claims benefit of 60/402,701 08/13/2002 X

~~(*)Data provided by applicant is not consistent with PTO records.~~

} SEE COPY OF
 ATTACHED FILING RECEIPT.

Foreign Applications

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted: 12/21/2005

The country code and number of your priority application, to be used for filing abroad under the Paris Convention, is **US10/524,060**

Projected Publication Date: Not Applicable

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

Title

Method of detecting and preventing alzheimer's disease, particularly at prodromal and early stages

Preliminary Class

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CONFIRMATION NO. 8713

FILING RECEIPT



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Early Publication Request: No

Title

Dysfunction of G-protein Coupled receptor kinases in Alzheimer's disease

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